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Atty. Docket: AWI90101

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of :
HAMBLEY, David M. and :
HAMBLEY, Philip : Examiner: CINTINS, Ivars C.
Serial No.: 09/303,306 : Group Art Unit: 1724
Filed: April 30, 1999 :
For: FILTER UNDERDRAIN SYSTEM :
FOR BACKWASH FLOW AND METHOD :
FOR MEASURING SAME :

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.113

Honourable Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

L.C.
7/7/03
Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's action of April 2, 2003,
applicant requests that the above-identified application be
amended as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Amend claim 1 as follows:

1. [Twice amended] A filter underdrain assembly
for controlling backwash water flow from a backwash water inlet,
said filter underdrain assembly comprising a plurality of panel
members forming a grid-like underdrain, each panel member having